

#2 IDS
D. Townsend
03/07/02

Attorney Docket No. 15119

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Zoran Vuksa et al.

Title: Hydrostatic Pump Destroke Mechanism



Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

TRANSMITTAL FOR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE SHEET

This is an explanation of the relevancy of the patents set forth in the Information Disclosure Sheet filed with the above-identified Application for Letters Patent.

The Mies patent (6,038,858) is cited for the teaching of a braking system connected to inching valves.

The Kowalyk et al. patent (6,227,326 B1) is cited as a teaching of the general type tractor to which the instant invention applies.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1/22/2002

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John B. Mitchell", written over a horizontal line.

John B. Mitchell
Registration No. 26,485
Customer No. 25542
Patent Attorney for
New Holland North America, Inc.
New Holland, PA 17557-0903
Phone (717) 625-1234